RONALD E. MCNAIR BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM

AT

BOSTON COLLEGE

STUDENT APPLICATION

Deadline: March 14th, 2022

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO:
50 COLLEGE ROAD
ATTN: Sara Wong
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Questions: ltl@bc.edu

Application Check List (office use only):
___ Completed Application
___ Two Recommendations Forms
___ Guardian Tax return Forms
___ Student Aid Report (from FAFSA)
___ Essay (see back page)
___ Unofficial Transcript
The McNair Program is a federally funded program designed to inform and prepare students who are low-income and first generation to college and/or from an underrepresented group in graduate education to matriculate and pursue a graduate education particularly doctoral study.

Accepted students work with McNair staff for the remainder of their matriculation at BC to develop research skills and expertise in the area of study as they prepare for graduate study.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name: ___________________________
First Name: ___________________________

Eagle ID: ___________________________
Birth Date: ___________________________

Gender: _____Male   _____Female   _____Non-binary

Campus Address: ___________________________
Permanent Address: ___________________________

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Town            State             Zip
Town            State             Zip

Cell Phone: ___________________________
Permanent Phone: ___________________________

Email Address: ___________________________

Citizenship Status: _____U.S. Citizen   _____Permanent Resident

Race (circle all that apply):
American Indian/Alaskan Native            Asian            Black/African American
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander            White

Ethnicity: Do you also identify yourself as Latino or Hispanic?   □ Yes   □ No

SCHOOL INFORMATION

List the names of all the colleges and universities you attended

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Major:_________________________ Minor:_________________________ GPA:_________________________

Overall   Major

Pre-Collegiate Programs under TRiO

Have you participated in any of the following programs? (Check all that apply)

_____Talent Search   _____Upward Bound   _____UB-Math/Science   _____EOC
_____Gear Up   _____Upward Bound Veterans   _____Other:_________________________

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ACADEMIC STATUS

How many credits have you completed? _________________________

What is your class standing? Enrollment Status?
Freshman ______ Full time
Sophomore ______ Part time
Junior ______ Other
Senior ______

What is your expected graduation date? ________________

Do you identify as a first generation college student? ______ Yes ______ No

Do you intend to apply to graduate school? ______ Yes ______ No

What is the highest degree you intend to complete?

☐ Master’s ☐ Academic Doctorate (Ph.D., Ed.D)
☐ Uncertain ☐ Professional Doctorate (J.D., M.D.)

FAMILY INFORMATION

*First generation is defined as a student whose parent(s) or guardian(s) did not complete a bachelor’s degree

Did your mother or your father graduate from a 4-year U.S. college or university? (Bachelors Degree)
Father ______ Yes ______ No
Mother ______ Yes ______ No

What is the highest degree of education completed by your parents/guardian(s)?
Mother _______________________
Father _______________________

List two contacts who will know your address in the future (one who is not a relative):

Name ________________________ Name: ________________________
Address ______________________ Address: ______________________
City: _________________________ City: _________________________
State: ___________ Zip Code: _________ State: ___________ Zip Code: _________
Phone: ______________________ Phone: ______________________
Relationship: __________________ Relationship: __________________
ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

Have you participated in any of the following programs? (Check all that apply)
- College Transition Program (CTP)
- Options Through Education (OTE)
- McNair Exploratory Program (MEP)
- Other ____________________________

INCOME INFORMATION

What is your family’s annual income? ____________________________
What is your annual income (if you are the head of household)? _____________
What is the total number of people in your household? _________________

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All documentation below need to be on file before your application is reviewed!
Please provide:
1. Unofficial copy of your transcript
2. Two recommendations: one from a professor in your major (preferably) and the other from a Boston College administrator or employer
3. Proof of income: a copy of last year’s tax forms from your parent(s)/guardian,
4. An essay of two pages or less describing:
   - Your reasons for choosing to participate in the McNair Program.
   - Your plans after graduation in regards to furthering your education and your career goals.
   - How will the McNair Program help you fulfill your plans in regard to your education and career?

FORMS OF RECOMMENDATION

List the names of your recommenders below:
__________________________________________________________________________________
__________________________________________________________________________________
__________________________________________________________________________________

I attest that the above information is true and correct. I give permission to the McNair Scholars Program at Boston College to access my academic and financial records for verification and reporting purposes. I also give permission to use any photos for public display in the various media forums.

Signature: ___________________________________________ Date: ____________